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## MESSAGE:

**Applicant:** Wayne J. Carr  
**Serial No.** 09/321,939  
**Filing Date:** May 28, 1999  
**Title:** Communicating Ancillary Information Associated With A Plurality Of Audio/Video Programs

1. Communication to Examiner;
2. copy of IDS/PTO-1449 filed on August 6, 1999;
3. copy of postcard stamped by Patent Office; and
3. copy of nine (9) references.

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Filed:	May 28, 1999	§	Assignee:	Intel Corporation
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Title:	Communicating Ancillary	§	Docket No.	ITL.0208US
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	Audio/Video Programs	§		

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COMMUNICATION TO EXAMINER

Dear Sir:

An Office Action dated December 8, 2005 indicated that references were not submitted with the Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) filed on August 6, 1999. In particular, the Office Action indicated that documents H-P were not considered with the IDS.

References were supplied with the IDS, as originally filed on August 6, 1999. In a telephone conversation between the undersigned and the Examiner today, December 28, 2005, the Examiner stated that the references would be considered if a copy of the originally-filed IDS, references and postcard were submitted. No claims or prior art were discussed between the Examiner and the undersigned in the telephone conversation. Therefore, submitted herewith are the following:

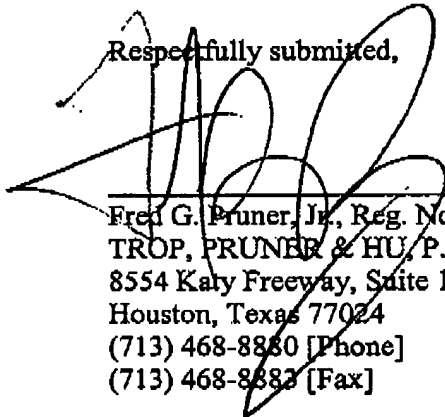
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1. a postcard that accompanied the IDS and stamped as received by the Patent and Trademark Office on August 9, 1999;
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3. the references that were filed with the IDS on August 6, 1999, and which have been indicated as not being received by the Patent Office.

Applicant requests consideration of the references on the attached PTO-1449 form. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 20-1504 (ITL.0208US).

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Respectfully submitted,



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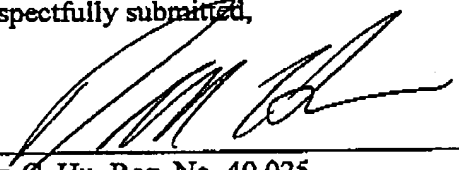
Dear Sirs:

Applicant submits the references listed on the attached form PTO 1449, copies of which are enclosed. This statement is being filed within three months of the filing date of the application. Please apply any charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 20-1504 (INTL-0208-US).

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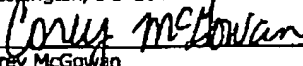
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